

reconsideration are requested.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made by the current amendment. The attached version is captioned "**Version with Markings to Show Changes Made**".

**I. Objection to Claim 10**

In paragraph 1 of the final Office action mailed February 27, 2003, the Examiner objects to claim 10 indicating that the recitation "progressively reveling information" should read "progressively revealing information". In response, applicants have amended claim 10 herein in accordance with the Examiner's suggestion.

Applicants have also amended claim 10 herein to correct a minor typographical error by changing "d)" (second occurrence) to read "e)".

Entry of the amendment presented herein is respectfully requested.

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In the claims:

Claim 10 has been amended as follows:

10) (twice amended) A method of [reveling] revealing information by a progress monitor during the monitoring of a process comprising the steps of:

- a) defining a progress area;
- b) dividing the progress area into a first part and a second part where the first part of the progress area corresponds to the amount of completion of the process being monitored;
- c) moving the dividing point between the first part and the second part of the progress area as the process progresses
- d) progressively [reveling] revealing information in the first part of the progress area, as the first part of the progress area becomes larger;
- [d] e) repeating steps c and d until the process being monitored has been completed.